



# USDA, AMS, Poultry Market News and Analysis

## Weekly Egg Products Report

### February 9, 2007

## The "SOURCE" of Poultry and Egg Market Information

**COMBINED REGIONAL REPORT** - Combined regional for week ending **09-Feb-07** average prices on Sales to volume buyers, Grade A large, white eggs in cartons, delivered warehouse, cents per dozen.

	Northeast	Southeast	Midwest	South Central	Combined Regional
<b>This week</b>	112.00	112.50	106.50	113.50	111.21
<b>Last week</b>	124.00	127.50	108.50	128.50	122.35

**SELECTED CITIES DELIVERED STORE DOOR LARGE** - **09-Feb-07:**

**New York** 92-96      **Midwest** 109-117      **California** 149

**WEEKLY SHELL EGG AND BREAKING STOCK INVENTORY** - **05-Feb-07** - (30 DOZEN CASES - IN THOUSANDS)

	Northeast	North Central	South Central	South Atlantic	Pacific	5-Area	Breaking Stock	Total
<b>Current week</b>	111.5	326.2	148.8	186.0	232.2	1004.7	213.7	1218.4
<b>% change PW</b>	-16	19	32	6	9	11	16	12

**Breaking Stock** **09-Feb-07** - prices paid cents/dozen, material exchanged, 30-dozen case equivalent, 48 lb minimum, delivered to breakers.

	Central States	Eastern Region
<b>Nest Run</b>	50-56	50-56 M 50-54
<b>Checks &amp; Undergrades</b>	39-46 M 42-44	36-45 M 39-42

**Eggs Processed** under federal inspection week ending **03-Feb-07**. Lbs. in Thousands (excludes ingredients)

	Cases Broken	Liquid Whole	Liquid White	Liquid Yolk	Dried	Inedible
<b>Current Week</b>	1,181,877	29,454	11,094	5,690	2,004	4,122
<b>Previous Week</b>	1,137,557	28,853	10,319	5,246	2,114	4,071
<b>Last Year</b>	1,299,852	31,124	12,720	6,865	3,331	4,480
<b>% Change PWK</b>	4%	2%	8%	8%	-5%	1%
<b>% Change LY</b>	-9%	-5%	-13%	-17%	-40%	-8%
<b>To-Date 2007</b>	5,853,257	146,550	53,375	28,609	11,809	20,853
<b>To-Date 2006</b>	6,365,305	153,131	61,192	33,774	15,545	21,780
<b>% Change YTD</b>	-8%	-4%	-13%	-15%	-24%	-4%

**AVERAGE YIELD PER CASE (INEDIBLE INCLUDED)**

**Current Week:** 42.61      **Previous Week:** 42.63      **Last Year:** 42.46

**AVERAGE YIELD PER CASE (INEDIBLE EXCLUDED)**

**Current Week:** 39.12      **Previous Week:** 39.05      **Last Year:** 39.01

**In-Line Production** (of total production; lbs. in thousands; may include a limited amount of off-line source material)

	CASES BROKEN		LIQUID WHOLE	
	Cases	% of Total	Lbs.	% of Total
<b>CURRENT WEEK</b>	592,810	50.2%	16,490	56.0%
<b>PREVIOUS WEEK</b>	559,773	49.2%	15,749	54.6%
<b>LAST YEAR</b>	606,856	46.7%	16,141	51.9%

**National Liquid Eggs - 09-Feb-07** - prices paid cents/lb, f.o.b. plant, non-pasteurized trucklots, for delivery within 14 days.

Class	Loads	Range	Wtd. Avg.	Change From Last Week
WHOLE	14	42-47	42.36	3.18
WHITES	17	39-44	41.87	-6.70
YOLKS	8	48-50	49.00	-.58

Pasteurized whites and salted yolk were too few to report.

**Frozen Egg Prices - 09-Feb-07** wholesale selling price cents/lb, 30-lb containers.

Class	Trucklot Eastern	Central	Less-than-Trucklot (min 25 cont.) Eastern	South California <sup>2</sup>
Whole	63-69 M 63-68	63-69 M 64-68	70-73	70-74
Blends <sup>3</sup>	TOO FEW TO REPORT			-
Whites	63-69 M 64-67	65-69 M 65-68	69-78	69-72
Yolks <sup>4</sup>				
Sugared	61-69 M 63-67	63-69 M 65-68	69-78	69-72
Salted	58-65 M 60-63	61-64 M 61-63	65-76	66-69

<sup>2</sup> f.o.b. shipping point

<sup>3</sup> whole plus yolk plus sweetener, generally 28-32% egg solids

<sup>4</sup> minimum 43% solids

**National Dried Egg Prices - 09-Feb-07** - wholesale selling prices \$/lb, in containers, trucklot and less-than-trucklot volumes.

Class	Range	Mostly
WHOLE	2.15-2.45	2.25-2.35
YOLKS	1.35-1.82	1.39-1.45
ALBUMEN, SPRAY, DRIED	4.35-5.05	4.40-4.60
BLENDS (WHOLE PLUS SWEETENER)	1.65-1.80	

**Number of Light Hens Sltrd. in Federally Inspected Plants (Thousands) Weekending 03-Feb-2007**

Fowl Slaughtered in U.S.	U.S. Fowl Slaughtered in Canada	Total U.S. Fowl Slaughtered
This week 1,202	This week 157	This week 1,359
Last week 1,067	Last week 295	Last week 1,362
Last year 1,422	Last year 251	Last year 1,673
To Date 2007 5,367	To Date 2007 965	To Date 2007 6,332
To Date 2006 7,090	To Date 2006 1,234	To Date 2006 8,324

**U.S. Exports To Canada**, in Thousand Pounds (Preliminary) week ending - 27-Jan-07

	Liquid	Frozen	Dried	Total
Current week	237	0	0	237
Last year /1	261	0	0	261
To date 2007/2	571	3	80	654
To date 2006	832	40	0	872

**U.S. Imports From Canada**, in Thousand Pounds (Preliminary) week ending - 27-Jan-07

	Liquid	Frozen	Dried	Total
Current week	188	12	0	200
Last year /1	125	11	0	136
To date 2007/2	910	17	0	927
To date 2006	237	106	0	343

**Inspected Shell Eggs**

**U.S. Exports To Canada**, in 30-Dozen Cases (Preliminary) week ending - 27-Jan-07

	Jumbo	EX-Lg	Large	Medium	Ungraded	Misc	Total
Current week	0	0	800	0	0	0	800
Last year /1	0	450	570	0	0	0	1,020
To date 2007/2	0	180	1,671	0	0	0	1,851
To date 2006	0	2,430	3,090	180	900	0	6,600

/1 Comparable week, to-date figures may not total due to rounding.

/2 Includes revisions to previous week(s).

COMPARISONS ON THE BASIS OF MATCHED PLANTS

CLASS	NUMBER OF POUNDS	% CHANGE LAST MONTH	% CHANGE LAST YEAR
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WHOLE			
PLAIN	3,104,284	-18%	-15%
FREE FLOWING	5,054,095	1%	-29%
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SUBTOTAL:	8,158,379	-7%	-24%
WHITE			
(ALBUMEN)	5,090,243	-11%	-29%
YOLK			
PLAIN	3,042,389	-3%	41%
FREE FLOWING (W/SODIUM SILICO ALUMINATE)	3,581,954	-16%	-45%
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SUBTOTAL:	6,624,343	-10%	-24%
BLENDS 1/			
WHOLE	1,494,765	-10%	-1%
WHITE	62,700	-3%	-38%
YOLK	5,650	242%	-70%
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SUBTOTAL:	1,563,115	-10%	-4%
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TOTAL:	21,436,080	-9%	-24%

DRIED EGGS PROCESSED UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION:

DECEMBER 31, 2006 - FEBRUARY 3, 2007  
TOTAL 11,809,000 POUNDS.

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Calculations were adjusted to represent matched plants from current month compared to previous month, and current month compared to previous year. Subsequently, the percent change calculations may be based on different cooperators if directly compared with data on previous reports.  
1/: Blended with a percentage of additives including, but not limited to, sugar, salt, soy, and corn syrup  
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SHELL EGGS BROKEN UP 1 PERCENT released February 7, 2007

Shell eggs broken = 162 million dozen during December 2006, up 1% from December 2005.

December 2006 contained 21 weekdays (including one holidays) and five Saturdays, compared to 22 weekdays (including one holiday) and four Saturdays in December 2005.

Shell Eggs Broken: Federally Inspected, United States,  
December 2005-06

Month & Region	Eggs Broken	Edible Liquid Whole	Edible Liquid White	Edible Liquid Yolk	Edible Liquid Total	Inedible Liquid
December 2006: United States	(1,000 Dozen) 162,342	(1,000 Pounds) 141,037	(1,000 Pounds) 46,095	(1,000 Pounds) 24,781	(1,000 Pounds) 211,913	(1,000 Pounds) 18,823
December 2005: United States	160,708	137,259	43,611	23,935	204,805	17,733

**Egg Products Inspected: Shell Eggs Broken and Products Produced, United States,  
January - December 2005-06**

<b>Period</b>	<b>Eggs Broken</b>	<b>Edible Liquid Whole</b>	<b>Edible Liquid White</b>	<b>Edible Liquid Yolk</b>	<b>Edible Liquid Total</b>	<b>Inedible Liquid</b>
January 1, 2006- December 31 2006	(1,000 Dozen)  2,023,137	(1,000 Pounds)  1,687,149	(1,000 Pounds)  613,591	(1,000 Pounds)  329,668	(1,000 Pounds)  2,630,408	(1,000 Pounds)  225,589
January 1, 2005 - December 31, 2005	2,051,029	1,641,740	648,697	356,327	2,646,764	226,406

Data presented in this report were compiled from inspection reports of the Food Safety and Inspection Service (FSIS). The best available data at time of publication was used. For information on "Egg Products" call Mike Baker at 202-720-3243, office hours 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., ET.